



Frederic High Eagles pictured above ran their win streak to 17 straight Tuesday night and the Snowland Class D Conference crown as they trounced Bellaire 62 to 34. The Eagles' more conference game left but even losing the second place team can not catch up with flying Frederic team. Left to right in the photo above are: John Mertes, Lewis Johnson, Albie Hummel, Bill Johnson and Paul Schatz. Wayne Winstion, Bob Pratt, Larry Bayham, Alfie Hummel, Bill Johnson and Paul Schatz. Courtesy Bay City Times

## Eagles Win Number 16, And Rating

### Hold Biggest Win Streak In State

TO PRESENT YKENDALL

long-standing custom of A to present a "Safety" to the regular meeting in and it is the great good of the organization and unity that makes it possible. Lt. Lester Coy of the Michigan State a safety demonstration evening, February 25, kendall, a public relater for the State Police, led up and down the several years giving simulations in schools, P-3 Clubs, Sportsmen's all manner of local or- .

Although he does emphatically — about his dominant theme handling and Use of Fire at home, in the field or He will lecture to the senior high school stu- 3:15 on Monday after- to the parents and all citizens in the evening, to be followed by a ration of plain and ting with machine gun, ad. 45 caliber pistol, in- .

an open meeting, and A urges every interest- to see and hear this member of our Mich- Police Force.

business meeting and lec- .

ture held in the foyer of the main gym for the demonstration.

### Wakeley Given Award Plaque

J. Wakeley, of Wakeley Store, down river, died a plaque by the Oil Company last week of 26 years of con- .

Wakeley has sold Stan- .

quets for a longer period than anyone else in County, having started ago in partnership with Carl Parsons at what was the Parsons and Wakeley Station on US-27 .

In 1939 the Wakeley Store was built, and they share of the Parsons-Wakeley station sold to .

que reads as follows: d to Arthur J. Wakeley appreciation for co- with this Company in motorists for 26 years. hard Oil Company.

### man's Club

Thomas Welsh entertained Woman's Club at the Mrs. Fred Welsh Mon- .

An announcement that the CARB pack- .

the club were sent to .

Italy, Yugoslavia, Hong .

India.

a short business meeting by President Mrs. Jack .

Ed. Rodda introduced .

Her. All the ladies enjoy- .

ing the lovely materials .

rating ideas presented by .

Harriett Nickerson of .

"M" in Traverse City. A .

ame was played and prizes .

"Harriett's" to Mrs. John .

and Mrs. T. P. Peterson .

also received a gift as .

ess. Mrs. Sopko and Mrs. .

Rowley were guests of .

William Mosher, chair- .

the refreshment commit- .

assisted by Mrs. Bud .

Thomas Welsh. .

club's next meeting will be .

held later.

Martha Terry returned to .

in Paris, Mich., last Fri- .

for visiting her son and the Barney Engels, for .

the service word .

Saturday.

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## JACK PINE'S STUMP

Down where I live there is quite a long and steep hill. And in the winter time this hill presents quite a problem to cars not equipped for snow travel. So, in the interest of good public relations, we place barrels of sand at strategic spots for the use of those who might have trouble. We even supply a shovel. But most of the time we just help people, either by pushing or sanding the hill ourselves. Well, one day last week there came tearing down the hill a coupe with a couple of high school kids in it. They never got out of the car, but in a few minutes took off up the hill. Not getting too far, they backed down and made another run at it, with little more progress. At one point I almost went out to help them. But I decided that if a couple of high school kids didn't have enough ambition or sense to notice and use barrels of sand two feet from the road, that I wasn't about to help them. Even the Lord only helps those who help themselves. So, for 45 minutes they kept tearing up that hill until finally along came a man who wanted to come down the hill... and he spread some sand. "I couldn't get home until they got out of the road," he said, explaining his actions. He had other comments, too; you can guess what they might have been. —JP

News item: The three Conservation Commissioners who were appointed by Governor Williams in 1955 were confirmed by the State Senate last week. Their terms expire in April 1961. —JP

The Conservation Department is making all sorts of annual reports now. I have one in front of me, a rather interesting one on the number of violations, fines, etc., recorded during the past year. In 1956, Conservation Officers made a total of 5959 arrests, and more than 96% of these resulted in convictions. Violating game and fishing laws is apparently expensive, with fines exceeding \$5,000 court costs more than \$45,000. And then there were 1740 days-in-jail sentences. Deer hunting violations topped the list, followed closely by fishing violations. Small game law infractions were next. I heard somewhere that many of these violations of the hunting and fishing laws are done by the same people year in and year out. There are supposed to be some people who don't give a damn for game laws (or any laws for that matter) and who become regular artists at game law violating. Some day I would like to see just how many of these 5959 arrests were of the same people or of persons previously arrested. —JP

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Shortly afternoon Saturday a car driven by Joe Robinson, 30, of Gaylord was in collision with a car being driven by Hilla Jean Smith of Detroit. The collision occurred at the intersection of M-93 and M-72 west of Grayling. Sheriff John A. Papendick investigated and ticketed Robinson for failure to stop at a stop sign. Both cars suffered heavy property damage but no personal injury was reported.

The Tuesday previous, Frederic rolled over Vanderbilt there in a non-conference game, 81 to 34. The Eagles took a commanding 22 to 10 lead in the first quarter and outscored Vanderbilt heavily during the other three periods. Bob Pratt with 20, Wayne Winstion, 19, Bruce Welch 16 and Larry Bayham 14 all got into double figures for Frederic. John Mertes 8 and Bill and Louis Johnson with 2 each completed the scoring for the Eagles. Rich Loshaw with 15 was high for Vanderbilt.

Last Tuesday night's preliminary contest was a Junior High contest with Frederic winning 47 to 30. The Frederic Juniors took an early lead and were never in trouble. Ron Mertes with 15 and Jerry Gabriel with 12 paced the Frederic Juniors' scoring. Bennie Redman and Freddie Allen each added 6 with Jack Smith scoring 4 and Dennis Pratt and Dan Newberry 2 each. Brimmer with 15 was high for Merritt Junior high.

The preliminary game the Tuesday before was a reserve contest between Frederic squeaking out a 31 to 23 victory. The little Eagles won the first period 6 to 4 with each team scoring 8 points in the second quarter. In the last two periods of play, the Frederic reserves scored 8 and 9 points to the Vanderbilt reserves' 5 and 6 points respectively.

Dave Midkiff with 9 points was high for Frederic with Steve Olson, Maurice Alme, Jack Bindschat and Charles Lodge each adding 4 points and Paul Bradstreet 2. L. Loshaw with 7 was high for the Vanderbilt reserves.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lowrie left for Detroit Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Clara Cross, Mr. Lowrie's aunt, who passed away on Feb. 14th. The services were held Saturday.

### Gov. Williams To Speak At EMTA Luncheon

Governor G. Mennen Williams will be the featured speaker at the final luncheon meeting of the East Michigan Winter Sports Council scheduled for Thursday noon, February 28, at the Hotel Doherty in Clare, according to an announcement by Council President Roy Trudegeon, of Grayling.

Council members from thirty eastern and central Michigan winter sports communities and ski parks along with winter sports leaders from the West Michigan Tourist Association are expected to attend the meeting. In addition to the address by Governor Williams the program will include a report on the promotional and advertising activities of the council.

Trudegeon also said that despite two recent thaws the winter sports season in Michigan is the best on record to date. "The popularity of winter sports, especially skiing, increases every year as evidenced by that fact that fourteen new ski parks were opened this year bringing Michigan's total to sixty, more than any other state in the country," he stated.

In charge of local arrangements for the meeting is Frank LaGoe, of Clare.

### Heavy Damage Result Of Two Auto Accidents

Two auto accidents over last weekend resulted in heavy property damage and the issuing of one violation ticket but no personal injury.

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Final Regular Home Game This Friday, Still Hold Second Place

## Vikings Host Harbor Springs

The Grayling High Vikings will play the last regularly scheduled home game this coming Friday. On Tuesday, the Vikings will travel to Kalkaska for a non-conference game and on Friday, February 23, will wind up this year's campaign by going to East Jordan.

Friday night, by a score of 49 to 43, Boyne City, current leaders in the loop, had a fairly easy night of it. Friday at Pellston as they won 81 to 64. Harbor Springs and Mancelona currently tied for third place.

Friday night, the Vikings triumphed over East Jordan by a 51 to 37 count while the Ironmen edged out the luckless Gaylord Blue Devils 67 to 65.

Next week, Harbor is at Grayling with the Vikings probable winners; Boyne City is at Gaylord and we predict an upset with the Blue Devils tripping the Ramblers (may be wishful thinking but Gaylord is due for a break after many heart breaking 2 point losses); East Jordan is at Charlevoix and the Rayders should once again hit the win trail; Mancelona and Pellston clash with the Ironmen the high favorites to win.

The 1956-57 version of the Grayling High Vikings set some

kind of a record last Friday night as they became the first Grayling High basketball team to ever defeat the Charlevoix Red Rayders twice in a regular season. The strong Viking team of several seasons ago defeated Charlevoix once during the season.

completely from upsetting them as it had in past seasons.

The Vikings jumped off to a 12 to 8 first quarter lead but the Rayders came back in the second period to score 14 to Grayling's 11 to leave the Vikings with a slim

23 to 22 lead. Included in the Charlevoix win was a field goal scored in the final second of the first half. Ben Balch, Charlevoix forward, fired a wild shot from midcourt as the clock turned white. The ball hit the backboard but missed the basket.

Grayling's Strong in attempting to retrieve the ball hit the basket rim and was called for a foul. Superior rebounding and accuracy at the foul line paid off in the win for Grayling. The vaunted Red Rayder full court press put on in the final minutes failed to pay off for Charlevoix as it has in the past. The press caused Grayling a few rough moments but failed

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## What Happens To A Town When A Major Highway Is Diverted

By Elmer E. White

What Happens To A Town when a major highway is routed around its limits instead of running "down the main street?"

This question will be raised with increasing frequency during the next few years when some 800 miles of new multiple-lane divided highways are constructed across Michigan.

"Limited access" highways will form a large part of this construction program outlined last week by Highway Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler. These roads offer unequalled safety with divided multiple lanes, a controlled number of entrances, and bypasses around many towns and cities.

But merchants and villages depending on transients for much of their business are already beginning to voice fears that a by-pass would endanger their economic structure.

Fears may be unfounded. While Michigan's limited access highway program is still in its infancy (there are 189 miles of fully limited or controlled highways in the state), other areas have made ex-

haustive studies on towns bypassed by major routes.

A survey made by the United States Chamber of Commerce suggests a town is improved in every way by having a highway routed around it rather than down the main street. Reports from California and Texas confirm the results.

Highway Department experts point out that no new businesses can be built along roads having limited access. Motorists must turn off at some point to eat, find lodging and purchase gasoline.

An example of the added boom to business recently occurred in Sturgis when the Indiana Turnpike opened just south of the Michigan state line. According to officials, even though Sturgis was four miles away from the turnpike, motor and hotel business increased 25% from persons who had to drive off the main highway to find lodging for the night.

Other advantages accrue to the bypassed towns. The record of motorists and truckers who are just "driving through" should eliminate many accidents. The "home town" folks find they can once again go shopping without facing congested traffic and the long hunt for a parking place.

The picture isn't completely glowing. Several towns in Michigan are now by-passed and report differing experiences. On the one hand Parma lost 25% of its business when a highway bypassed it two years ago. On the other, Chelsea, bypassed some nine years ago, grew beyond the most optimistic hopes.

The biggest factor seems to be adjusting to the new situation. Planning ahead can ease the "shock" that accompanies any sudden change.

For example, in Chelsea merchants worked as a group. "We decided we had to become as efficient as the new highway," says Chelsea president Anton Niclson. "Everybody decorated their restaurants and stores. Then when we were looking our best, we spent \$1,600 a piece for two big signs out on the highway. We told people how to find us and what they would find."

Learning through experience, the residents of Parma now have a Community Improvement Group. They back up their plans they have, the friendly advice of the Consumers Power Community Development Department headed by James Coats.

The highway of the future will probably by-pass many towns. Experts advise: if it's your town, the time to start planning is now.

Michigan's One-Man Grand Jury may come in for some close scrutiny from the present state legislature. I urge you to urge your

of the controversial statute vesting grand jury power in one man. Attorney General Thomas M. Kavanagh.

"The system itself is contrary to the original principles of justice in this country," Kavanagh recently told the state legislature. "It's concentrated in a single judge more power than was intended when we turned to English common law and the Bill of Rights as a foundation for our system."

Primary purpose of any grand jury is to obtain evidence and testimony that cannot be compiled under normal courtroom procedures.

The key to success lies in the power to grant immunity against prosecution to persons who testify. In many instances when it is hard to obtain evidence, a grand jury is the only means of reaching the "top men." Persons criminally involved only in a minor way can be granted immunity or "typed off" so that a strong case can be built against major offenders.

Michigan law provides for both the one-man grand jury and also a panel of 23 citizens to sit as a grand jury. However, only the former is given the power to grant immunity.

Kavanagh suggests that the immunity power be vested in the multi-man grand jury. He hopes that a system patterned after federal court procedure can be established. This would call for a citizens' panel to sit regularly four times each year.

At present, the one-man grand jury is only called in special cases. This results in a great deal of publicity for the particular case.

Kavanagh stresses that he is not critical of grand jurors now sitting to hear cases in Wayne and Macomb Counties. Abuses were abundant in the past, but he asserts that present judges are working "skillfully and impartially."

"It's the system that is wrong," he explains.

### OFFERS ASSISTANCE ON INTANGIBLE TAX

Mr. Lewis Morris, representing the Michigan Department of Revenue-is-available, by appointment for the purpose of assisting taxpayers in the preparation of their intangibles tax returns due not later than March 31. Write Box 252 Gaylord, Phone 5721.

Intangible personal property subject to the tax includes all mortgages, land contracts, bank accounts, cash, post savings accounts, account and notes receivable, corporate stocks, corporate bonds and other similar types of property. However, all United States bonds, are exempt from the tax and the tax on deposits in Michigan banks and building and loan associations, as well as stocks in Michigan banks, will be paid to the Department of Revenue directly by the banks or building and loan associations.

Under the present law as amended by the Legislature in 1945, all Corporate Stocks are 100% taxable including Michigan Corporations. The Department has issued a warning to all owners of property such as is outlined above, to file the necessary return forms prior to March 31. The Revenue Department is constantly engaged in detecting stockholders' lineage, mortgage records, income tax returns and other data for the purpose of discovering evasions of the Intangible Tax Act. Failure to file a return when a tax is due subjects the taxpayer to severe penalties.

In addition to assisting taxpayers in the preparation of their returns, Mr. Morris will also be glad to advise any person concerning his liability, if any, under the Intangible Tax Act.

Those desiring this advice or assistance are requested to bring with them full information concerning their holdings, including face or par value and amount received therefrom during the year, and copy of the previous year's return filed with the Department.

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BY CARL M. SAUNDERS  
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United States emerged last November from a election with a scattering of scars but a mini-pores.

out of that election came a resounding evi- t we are one people.

ng the campaign there was much talk of the vote, the Catholic vote, the Jewish vote, the P etc. But when the votes were totaled, the seg- to which political managers had divided our were found non-existent.

There were those who said that Candidate Eisen- ould lose all the Jewish vote, because he had ed up to the embattled forces of new Israel. scored heavily in New York's Jewish sections. d the Democrats would get the Irish and the e vote for a variety of reasons — one that Ike Presbyterians, and that some bigots preferred a th no church to a confessed Protestant. But Ike Massachusetts with its heavy Irish and Italian population.

so it went. study of the vote shows that there was a minimum voting by ethnic, color, or religious groups. it is as it should be in America.

ever, that isn't all. That is as it should be about the world.

re observing Brotherhood Week, but it isn't that you treat your neighbor decently and res- the dignity of the folks of different color who live the street.

ever the world is to attain that goal which it so is south — peace for all peoples — it can be at- only by the spirit of brotherhood.

nd what is the spirit of brotherhood? essence it is a respect for the rights and the of others, whether among individuals or na- When the time comes that the unpredictable men Kremlin yield to the philosophy that every man ery nation is entitled to go his own way so long rights and opinions of others are not infringed, e may welcome true brotherhood.

en, in truth, we may keep the promise of Tenny- "Ring in the thousand years of peace."

the key to it all is in the occasion we now mark as Week.

## 's Your "Housepower"?

mericans have an amazing amount of mech- power at our command, to use at work and at to take one obvious example, today's automobiles huge amounts of horsepower under their hoods—indeed, than many think desirable.

there is one area — and a highly important in which tens of millions of people just don't enough power for today's requirements. It is call- "housepower". That word covers the adequacy or inacy of your electrical wiring, outlets and es.

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## THE BROTHERHOOD WEEK

mated that more than 20,000,000 homes need modernization of wiring. And that figure is not just made up of older ones. A great many homes of recent construction are seriously short of electrical capacity.

There are certain definite signs to tell you if you are one of the millions who need more "housepower". If fuses frequently blow, or your electrical appliances are slow to heat, or lights flicker, or the picture on the TV screen shrinks, you're putting more load on your homes electrical system than is safe and proper.

The reason for the "housepower" problem, of course, is that we Americans want more and more labor saving and other electrical appliances. A determined effort is now underway to persuade the American home owner to bring his "housepower" up to par if it isn't there now. We can make no better investment — in comfort, convenience and safety.

## In Grayling 23 Years Ago

Interesting Items of News Gathered From the Files of the Avalanche of 23 Years Ago.

February 22, 1934

About 100 fathers and sons met in banquet at Michelson Memorial church banquet room Monday evening to enjoy a few hours together. The affair was sponsored by the Ladies Aid society of Michelson Memorial church, and the banquet was provided by them also.

The menu consisted of tomato juice, a delicious vegetable salad, Swiss steak, mashed potatoes and carrots, pickles, rolls, coffee and cherry pie. The High School orchestra under the direction of Miss Shirley MacNeven played several numbers during the banquet, which were very much enjoyed.

Hazen (KIK) Cuyler of Harrison, star outfielder for the Chicago Cubs, was the principal speaker. He related many sandlot and big league experiences and brought some of the stars of baseballdom intimately into his word picture. He has played for 11 years in major baseball, 4 of which were with the Pittsburgh Pirates and 7 years with the Chicago Cubs. Everyone feels that it was a grand gathering of fathers and sons of Grayling and that will be remembered a long while.

Mrs. Paul Lovely, who was admitted to Mercy Hospital Monday evening, is getting along very nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jerome of East Lansing spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Welch, of Frederic, are the parents of a boy born to them at Mercy Hospital, February 19. The baby will be known as Gerald Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hermann, of Grand Rapids, spent the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates. They had as their guest, George Sage also of Grand Rapids.

After spending the evening skating at the Winter Sports Park Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Trudeau entertained several couples at their home where polka lunch was enjoyed.

Alfred Hanson has just delivered

ing last Saturday from Portland, Oregon where he had been since last summer. In the interest of a lumber company. He said that the first snow he saw was when he got to West Branch. Well, he missed a lot, and is probably glad of it. His friends are glad to welcome him back.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Poor, and Coach Willard Cornell with Tom Welsh, George Hanson, Leo Loveley, Clyde Borchers, Don Gothro, Jerome Brady, Edwin Chalker, Bill Joseph, Emil Kraus and Llywn Doremire motored to Alma Wednesday to witness a basketball game between Alma and Olivet. Alma won the game.

Mrs. Ernest Larson and Mrs. Milo Endricks were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Larson, for the pleasure of Miss Dorothy May who is to be a bride of next month. Hearts were played, Miss Clarice Welch winning first prize and Mrs. Edwin Carlson second. A delicious lunch was served. Miss May received many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Mildred McWilliams, having completed her special duty at Mercy Hospital, returned to her home in Roscommon Monday.

Miss Anne Brady, who is attending Jackson Business school, spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brady.

A few friends dropped in on Mrs. A. E. Hendrickson last Thursday evening to remind her it was her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Oscar Borchers entertained at a stork shower at her home Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Roy McEvers. There were about 30 present.

Mrs. Roy Milnes was hostess to her Bridge Club at a very pleasant luncheon Saturday afternoon. Three tables were in play following the luncheon. Mrs. Emil Giegling held the high score. Guests included Mrs. George Olson, Mrs. Robert Reagan, Mrs. Holger Peterson and Miss Ella Hanson.

Mrs. George Burke was hostess to several ladies at her home Monday afternoon. The occasion was her birthday.

Wednesday evening Mrs. Carl Sorenson, Mrs. N. Schjeld and Mrs. Earl Dawson were hostesses at a benefit pinocchio party in the Fischer Building. Admission was twenty-five cents per person and the proceeds went to the Eastern Stars. A. J. Nelson and Mrs. Hans Petersen won first prizes while

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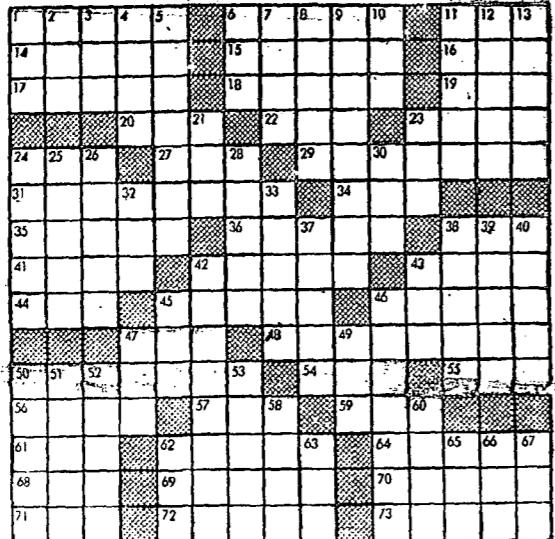
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Crawford County Avalanche  
Thursday, February 21, 1957

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



PUZZLE NO. 434

ACROSS	DOWN
1. Puzzle	1. Alphabet
6. Late battle	2. Indian
11. Benevolent	3. Hindu
12. Uncle	4. Rythm
14. Set aside	5. King
15. Got up	6. Heating
16. Woman	7. Gets up
17. Alma	8. Combining
18. Pounds down	9. Game of
19. Red	10. Change
20. Juice of plant	11. Outward
22. Sign of	12. Extent of
23. Response	13. Land (pl.)
24. Hawaiian	14. Seaport
25. Bird (pl.)	15. Sea port
26. Approach	16. Japanese
27. Intervening	17. Coin
28. Ingenuity	18. Lace
31. Mean	19. Column
32. Reserve	20. Column
33. Approaches	21. Column
34. Japanese	22. Column
35. Intervening	23. Column
36. Fixedly	24. Column
47. To trouble	25. Column
50. Warbled	26. Column
51. River	27. Column
52. Nautical	28. Column
53. Editors	29. Column
54. Labors	30. Column
55. Editors	31. Column
56. Old Teutonic	32. Column

Answer to Puzzles No. 433

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In writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof, upon Fred G. Cadwell of Roscommon, Michigan, fiduciary of said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said Court at the Probate Office on Monday, April 29, 1957, at 10:00 a. m.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche, and that the fiduciary cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by certified mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

Beulah Neafie  
Judge of Probate

A true copy:  
Beulah Neafie  
Judge of Probate 14-21-28

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
The Probate Court for the  
County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling, in said County, on the 11th day of February, 1957.  
Present: Hon. Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of James A. Sherman, Deceased.

Charles E. Moore having filed in said Court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 11th day of March 1957, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is Further Ordered, That the public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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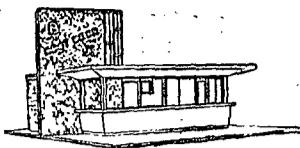
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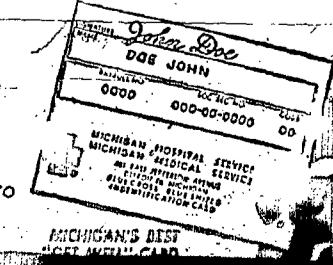
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AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Feb. 12, 1957

1 Millikin Const.	16
2 Jim's Canoe Livery	16
3 Smiggen's Diggins	16
4 Drewrys	13
5 Vita Boy	13
6 Elmer's Keg	13
7 Uncle Al	13
8 Hull's Motel	11
9 Hull's Hdwe-Lbr	11
10 Peterson Hdwe-Lbr	11
11 Bear Archery	11
12 Welsh Motor Sales	11
13 St. Mary's	11
14 Wharff's Dinner Bell	8
15 National Bohn	7
16 Johnson Oil Co.	6

Team high series: Barlingers 2606, Millikin 2506.  
Team high single: Millikin 932, Barlingers 921, Vita Boy 878.  
Ind. high series: Hope 918, Wing 508, Al. William 508.  
Ind. high single: Millikin 245, Gandy 239, Snock 233.  
High averages: Dierick 175, Billings 173, Faling 169, Sorenson 167, Denton 166, Bidvia 166.

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Feb. 14, 1957

1 Strohs	18
2 Carling's Black Label	17
3 Jansen's Plumbing	17
4 B-C-D	14
5 Wayside Inn	13
6 Pfeifers	13
7 Nelson Oil Co.	13
8 Goebel's "22"	13
9 Cadillac Overall	13
10 Don's Radio Shop	10
11 Stevenson-Brown	10
12 Black & White	9
13 Blatz	9
14 Wharff's Dinner Bell	9
15 Hendershot's	7
16 Bear Archery	3

Team high series: Wayside Inn 2514, Pfeifers 2412, Blatz 2402.  
Team high single: Blatz 924, Wayside Inn 974, Pfeifers 832.  
Ind. high series: Payment 550, Quinn 534, Otto Peterson 528.  
Ind. high single: Kaiser 175, Otto Peterson 210, C. Anthony 204.  
High averages: Snyder 175, Billings 171, Denton 170, Dean 166, Sawyer 166.

RECREATION LEAGUE  
Feb. 13, 1957

1 Marshall's Motel	55
2 Olsons	53 1/2
3 Speedway "79"	51
4 Bear Archery	49
5 Mt. Hope	48
6 Drewrys	47 1/2
7 Shoppenagons Inn	46 1/2
8 Petrol Gas	46
9 Elmer's Hdwe	41 1/2
10 Wharff's Dinner Bell	41 1/2
11 Dingmans Tavern	40
12 Alley's	39
13 Sal's Gals	37 1/2
14 Strohs	33 1/2
15 Grayling Merc.	33
16 Spike's Keg	29
17 Smiggen's Diggins	19

Team high single: Speedway 783, Bear Archery 748, Marshall's 728.  
Team high series: Speedway 2167, Bear Archery 2143, Strohs 2116.  
Ind. high single: E. Burch 216, E. Hoerl 190, E. Rechelderfer 187.  
Ind. high series: E. Burch 512, J. Hoffman 485, S. Papendick 477.

NORTHWOOD LEAGUE  
Feb. 15, 1957

1 Alley's	59
2 Ten Pin Pals	58
3 Plaza Bar	51
4 Black & White	50
5 Tip Top Togs	48 1/2
6 Wayside Inn	48
7 Sorenson's IGA	44 1/2
8 Peterson Hdwe.	43
9 Cornell Agency	42 1/2
10 Burns Hdwe.	41 1/2
11 Bear Archery	38
12 Carl's Beauty Shop	35
13 Forbes Motel	33
14 Morency's Cabins	32
15 Mac's Drugs	29
16 Chevrollets	22
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